

MACDONOUGH THEATER WILL BE CLOSED.

Owners and the Theatrical Trust
Fail to Come to an
Agreement.

Estate Wants \$5,000 a Year and
Theatrical Men Refuse
to Pay the Price.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 2.—The indications now are that the Macdonough Theater will be closed for a long time, as the Theatrical Trust and the managers of the Macdonough estate cannot come to an agreement.

At present Gottlob & Marx of the Columbia Theater hold a lease on the Macdonough, which expires July 15th next.

The present managers pay an annual rental of \$4,200 and they want a reduction.

The Macdonough estate wants an annual rental of \$5,000.

Manager A. S. Baldwin of the Macdonough estate today said: "We believe the theater is worth \$5,000 a year. If we do not get this price we will close the place."

Gottlob & Marx are getting ready to move. Unless the Macdonough is in the trust no Eastern attractions can play there.

W. R. DAVIS IS BACK FROM EAST

Ex-Mayor Visited Many Cities
and Tells What He Saw
on the Way.

EX-MAYOR William R. Davis and Mrs. Davis returned yesterday from an extended pleasure trip through the Middle Western States and Canada. Mrs. Davis went East early in the season and was followed a month later by Mr. Davis. They have been traveling almost continuously for the past four weeks.

"We enjoyed ourselves immensely," said Mr. Davis this morning. "We just missed the torrid wave that is now sweeping over the East. I went to Denver, Chicago, Minneapolis and St. Paul, and then went up into Canada, coming home on the Canadian Pacific taking in Victoria, Seattle, Port Townsend and other points on the Puget Sound en route. Some of the most magnificent mountain scenery in the world appears along the Canadian Pacific and the great glacier are two points of especial interest."

"At Port Townsend I saw the most complete appliances for working up timber into lumber that is perhaps to be seen in the world. The logs are felled in a lake beside the mill, and one of those huge sticks is snatched out by automatic machinery, squared, and placed on the cutting slides, and ripped into scantling, boards and laths, which are carried off into the yard on rollers without ever being touched by hand. The sawdust and waste is also carried off automatically to the boilers and burned, blower fans and chain hoists being utilized for the purpose. It requires perhaps six minutes from the time the log is taken out of the water till it appears in the lower compartment in the form of finished lumber. At the same time all the waste is disposed of. All the waste is burned as fast as made, and at night the mill is swept up clean. It is simply marvelous. Nothing is done by hand save the pulling of a lever or the turning of a screw."

Everywhere I saw evidences of great industrial and commercial activity. In Chicago they are tearing down four and

SAN LEANDRO ROBBERS BLOW UP RAILROAD SAFE

SAN LEANDRO, July 2.—Safe crackers broke into the railroad station of the Southern Pacific Company last night and blew open the safe, an extraordinarily strong one, with a heavy charge of nitro-glycerine.

The door of the safe was blown off and the robbers secured \$40 from the upper portion, but they missed \$553 which was in the strong box beneath.

Why the explosion did not arouse someone in the neighborhood is a mystery. It stopped the office clock, whose hands this morning pointed to 1:10 o'clock and the other furniture in the room was demolished.

Tickets were scattered all over the floor and the door of the safe, which three or four ordinary men would find it difficult to lift, was thrown across the room, a distance of at least eight feet. The burglars had previously opened all the windows in the office to lessen the concussion.

With all the evident noise, however, the burglary was not learned until this morning, when C. M. McLaughlin, the station agent, appeared upon the scene to open the office.

The discovery caused no end of excitement here. McLaughlin at once notified the railroad authorities, and Railroad Detective Mahoney was sent to the scene to assist the local peace officers. So far no clue that might help the officers has been found.

CORNELL WINS THE BIG RACE.

The Pennsylvania Freshmen Get
Away With the Prize in
Their Class.

Many Interesting Events Are in
Progress at Poughkeepsie
This Afternoon.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 2.—The day of the Inter-collegiate Regatta opened intensely hot and with scarcely a breath of air stirring. The thermometer at 8:30 registered 80 degrees and college men declared that the racing should be delayed until the sun had begun to go down behind the hills.

The Races.

The races will be as follows: Four-oared race, between Columbia, Cornell and Pennsylvania, to start at 3 p. m. Freshman scull race, between Columbia, Cornell, Pennsylvania and Syracuse, to start at 3:45 p. m. University scull race, between Columbia, Cornell, Georgetown, Pennsylvania, Syracuse and Wisconsin, to start at 5 p. m.

First Event.

The first event of the day occurred at 11 o'clock, when Clinton Goodwin of Syracuse, class of 1903, rowed over a mile and a half course, beginning a half mile below the bridge and rowing up stream because of the tide flowing in that direction. He rowed the course in 9:35 3-5, pretty fair time considering the intense heat.

Cornell Wins.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., July 2.—Cornell wins four-oared race. Unofficial time 11:36 1-2. Pennsylvania second.

Pennsylvania Wins.

Pennsylvania wins the Freshman, second race.

Eight-Oared Race.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 2.—Pennsylvania wins 8-oared Freshmen race, Cornell second, Columbia third. Unofficial time, 10:23.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 2.—Official time, first race, Cornell 11:35 2-5; Pennsylvania, 11:45 2-5; Columbia, 11:51 2-5.

Cornell Wins.

Cornell wins the Varsity race.

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A story which buildings to put up taller steel structures. One is struck by seeing the brick buildings torn down to make room for more commodious and modern structures. Seattle was the busiest town I saw on the Pacific coast. It is building with extraordinary rapidity. Brick buildings put up only a few years ago are being torn down to give place to finer and larger ones. I wish Oakland had some of the spirit that animates Seattle. The people there don't balk at anything.

GENERAL GROSVENOR SAYS

HE WAS MISREPRESENTED.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 2.—General Charles H. Grosvenor of Ohio, speaking to a reporter of the utterances regarding the third term question, intimated to him, said: "I was misrepresented. The interview published was a distortion of historical fact regarding Washington's reasons for not accepting a third term, which I made to a party of young men. I will not say, and I have not said whether I think Mr. McKinley could be elected again, but I do say that in my judgment no man will ever be elected to a third term."

General Grosvenor is en route to Winfield, Kas., where he will deliver an address on July 4.

THOUSANDS OF ACRES OF

PASTURE ARE DESTROYED.

ANTIOCH, Cal., July 2.—Thousands of acres of pasture and large tracts of grain lands were destroyed in the hills south of here by a fire which raged all day yesterday and last night.

AMERICAN SOLDIER EQUAL OF ANY.

Fault Is Found With Him, However, Because of Slovenly Appearance.

The Outrages on Missionaries in
China Are Almost Beyond Belief.

NEW YORK, July 2.—This extract is made by the Washington correspondent of the World from a review of the military operations in China, now being prepared by the Bureau of Military Information at the War Department:

Looting and Pillaging.

"Looting and pillaging of the city (Tien Tsin) mostly by natives but joined in by many Europeans, was on the first day entirely unrestricted; later the allied commanders, as soon as attention could be given to it, adopted severe repressive measures to put a stop to it, and the scandal was soon discontinued."

"The Japanese, on account of the admirable discipline under which the soldiers are held, are said to have done the least looting. Strict orders from our officers and American training and instinct prevented our men from engaging in this orgy of thieving and outrages."

The foregoing reference is based upon reports from American officers.

American Soldiers Criticized.

The American soldier is criticized freely in the review. For efficiency and fighting he is held to be the equal of any and superior to many. The fault found with the American soldiers is their "slovenly appearance off duty."

An interesting, yet gruesome feature of the volume treats of outrages on missionaries. Captain Hutchinson of the Sixth Cavalry, in reporting on the Pao Ting fu expedition, recites the experience of Miss Gould and Miss Morrell of the American Mission Board. They were taken from the compound, the shock to Miss Gould causing her to sink into a comatose condition.

Bound Hand and Foot.

"She was accordingly bound hand and foot and strung to a pole or lance as pigs are carried in China," says the Captain's report, and taken to the city. Miss Morrell, being a fearless woman of considerable strength, was able to walk and did so. In this manner Miss Gould being carried and Miss Morrell walking, but being held by the hair, they were taken to Chinghsan temple. En route the street was thronged with people, many of whom clutched and tore the clothing off the women.

A pathetic incident is told by the Captain in connection with the conduct of a party of missionaries taken out of the city by Boxers. Their hands were bound. A little child belonging to one of the women was not bound, but ran alongside, clinging to its mother's clothing. All except the child were beheaded while it was spared to death by Boxers.

AN UNKNOWN MAN

KILLED AT SANTA ANA.

SANTA ANA, Cal., July 2.—An unknown man was run over and killed this morning in Santa Ana Canyon by the Coronado Flyer on the Santa Fe. The victim was a middle aged Mexican and when struck was lying on the track. The entire train passed over him, cutting off one leg and breaking almost every bone in his body.

HIS WIFE ESCAPED AND

THEN HE SHOT HIMSELF.

REDDING, Cal., July 2.—Crazed with liquor, Thomas Young, a teamster who arrived at Bella Vista, a lumber camp, twelve miles east of Redding, two months ago, from Auburn, attempted to kill his wife Monday afternoon and when she escaped from him he sent a bullet through his own brain, dying instantly.

TOD CARVER, THE NOTED

DESPERADO IS CAPTURED.

PHOENIX, Ariz., July 2.—Sheriff Scarborough and posse of Apache county have captured Tod Carver, alias Hilliard, charged with the murder of Frank Lesner and Andrew Gibbons, near St. Johns over a year ago. Officers have pursued Carver all over Texas, New Mexico and Arizona.

JEALOUS FARMER KILLS HIS

WIFE AND SHOTS HIMSELF.

WARREN, Ohio, July 2.—Rollin Hawkins, a farmer residing near Newton Falls, today shot and killed his wife and then attempted suicide, but failed to inflict a fatal wound. Jealousy was the cause.

LOS ANGELES CORONER

IS PLACED ON TRIAL.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 2.—The trial of Coroner Holland was begun today. He is charged with riding on passes and turning in bills against the county for his fare. Most of the day was consumed in securing a jury.

ANOTHER BANK IS INSOLVENT.

Niagara Bank of Buffalo is Forced to Close Its Doors.

The Commissioner Did Not Like
the Looks of Business and
Took Charge.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 2.—The Niagara Bank, a State Institution, has closed its doors. The following notice has been posted on the doors:

"I have closed and taken possession of this bank."

"F. D. KILBURN, Superintendent of Banks."

The Niagara Bank was organized September 15, 1891. It had a capital of \$100,000. The officers are:

President, P. H. Griffin; Vice-President, M. M. Darrick; Cashier, Wm. Thayer.

The Chairman of the Clearing House Committee, S. M. Clement, said this morning:

"It should be distinctly understood that the closing of the Niagara Bank today has been brought about solely by reason of its close connection with the City National Bank, its President having been Vice-President of the City National, and that no other bank here is affected."

"At the meeting of the Clearing House Committee, at the close of business the Niagara Bank was the only bank that applied for any assistance and arrangements were made to give the assistance asked for, pending the report this morning by the Banking Department as to the solvency of the bank."

"J. M. Kilburn, Superintendent of Banks, on his arrival in town this morning became satisfied that the bank could not get through with the assistance asked for and accordingly directed that the bank be closed in order to best protect all interested."

Bank Superintendent Kilburn said: "I have closed this bank because I think it insolvent. The main reason for the failure is the failure of the City National Bank. This bank is involved in that to an extent not yet to be announced."

AGE LIMIT IN THE

CIVIL SERVICE RULES.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—Secretaries Hay and Long were the absentees at today's Cabinet meeting. Little business was transacted. The most important action decided upon was a change in the Civil Service rules regarding clerks and carriers in the Postal Service. The age limits within which applicants could apply for positions as carriers heretofore have been 25 years as the minimum and 40 as the maximum. The minimum for clerks has been 18 years with no maximum. The Civil Service Commission proposed a uniform minimum of 18 and a maximum of 40 years. It was the opinion of the Postmaster General and the rest of the Cabinet, however, that this maximum was too low and it was decided to fix 45 years as the maximum for both classes of employees.

GALLANT SERVICE NOT

FORGOTTEN BY UNCLE SAM.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Lieut. J. H. Scott of the Revenue Marine Service, who distinguished himself at the rescue of persons on the disabled torpedo boat Winslow on May 11, 1898, has resigned and gone into the railroad business. In accepting the resignation the Secretary of the Navy wrote:

"The records show that your service during the Spanish-American war, especially on board the cutter Hudson at the action off Cardenas, May 11, 1898, were gallant and conspicuous and have been appreciated by the Department and as well by the United States, as is shown by joint resolution enclosed. Your resignation is regretted and the Department wishes you every success."

A popular lithograph called "A Lieutenant of the Navy" is considered a good likeness of Scott.

FAST PASSENGER TRAIN

RUNS INTO CARS.

NEWCASTLE, Pa., July 2.—A passenger train south-bound from Oil City, Pa., on the Western New York and Pennsylvania branch of the Pennsylvania Road ran into two cars loaded with limestone which had been left standing on the tracks two miles north of this city today, wrecking the train. Two passengers and five trainmen sustained bruises and minor injuries, but all will recover.

ALL CASH REGISTER

STRIKERS RETURN TO WORK.

DAYTON, O., July 2.—In conformity with the agreement reached in Washington Monday, many of the machinists of the National Cash Register Company returned to work today. A concession on the part of the company which will allow the nine-hour day schedule was made. It is believed the employees also made concessions.

PRESIDENT MCKINLEY TO

RETURN TO CANTON.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The President, who is very busy departing for Canton on Friday this week, will see only those having urgent matters to bring to his attention. "The extreme heat of the past few days has not affected Mrs. McKinley unfavorably."

HOT WAVE COSTS LIVES IN THE EAST.

Fifty-two Deaths Reported in
New York City in a
Few Hours.

Work in the Great Mills Is Stopped
and Ambulances Are
Kept on the Move.

NEW YORK, July 2.—At 11 o'clock the Police Department lists showed that from midnight to that time a total of fifty-two deaths from the heat had been reported in Greater New York. Nearly all the dead were adults. The prostrations were so numerous that it was impossible to keep a complete record of them. The Weather Bureau thermometer was at 93 at 9 A. M., six degrees higher than at 10 o'clock yesterday.

Chicago's Heat.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Notwithstanding the storm which dissipated the heat wave, what last evening, thermometers on the street at 8 A. M. registered 86 degrees, only two degrees lower than at the same hour yesterday.

Boston Improved.

BOSTON, July 2.—Weather conditions here were improved in a slight degree early this morning, the thermometer standing at 84 four degrees below the record of the last five days at 8 A. M. There was a breath of wind from the east.

St. Louis Much Warmer.

ST. LOUIS, July 2.—At 8 A. M. the Weather Bureau reported 90 degrees of heat, with the prospect that it will be much warmer before the day is over.

Deaths in Pittsburgh.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., July 2.—Twelve deaths and sixty prostrations from the heat were reported between midnight last night and 11 o'clock this morning, making the number of fatalities forty in twenty-four hours. While last night was not as close as the previous night, thousands of persons in the tenement districts slept in hallways or on the stone pavements, or even in the street. Many poor mothers sat up all night watching their slumbering children that harm might not come to them as they lay on the pavements.

Sleep Out All Night.

PHILADELPHIA, July 2.—The hot weather continued today with unabated intensity. The local forecasters say there are no indications of immediate relief. All records for July were broken by the temperature this morning. At 11 o'clock the Government thermometer on top of the Postoffice building registered 95 degrees, while those on the street varied from 92 to 102.

Manufacturing establishments were compelled to close. Cramps ship yards began operations at 4 o'clock this morning and closed at noon. Before 10 o'clock a dozen ambulance calls had been sent from the plant and many of the employees were compelled to leave their work.

Temperatures.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Temperatures at 7 A. M.: New York, 88; Boston, 82; Philadelphia, 92; Washington, 86; Chicago, 78; Minneapolis, 66; Cincinnati, 73; St. Louis, 82.

FOUNDRIES COMPELLED TO

SHUT DOWN IN NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The heat continues to be intense.

Altogether about 1,100 foundrymen have ceased work. The Clark Thread Mills and all the other factories and foundries in Harrison, Kearney and Arlington have ceased to work. Lorillard's Tobacco Factory, employing 2,300 men and women, has closed down on account of the heat. A number of concerns in Newark, Paterson, Passaic and New Brunswick have closed.

Vegetation is suffering greatly in all parts of New Jersey. Unless rain soon falls many of the crops will be almost totally ruined and in any event the farmers will lose heavily.

SENTENCED TO TWENTY

YEARS ON MURDER CHARGE.

RAWLINS, Wyo., July 2.—Judge Craig today sentenced Orlo McSwain, convicted of murdering James Taylor, to twenty years in the penitentiary. George Moore, who killed Jas. Edmunds at Hanna, Wyo., last winter, was sentenced to twenty years on the verdict of murder in the second degree.

BITTEN BY A RATTLESNAKE

AND WILL DIE FROM POISON.

ANGELS CAMP, Cal., July 2.—The 13-year old daughter of Tony Ahola was galled by a rattlesnake, which bit her on the left leg below the knee. Before a physician could be obtained the poison spread to her body and she is not expected to live.

WATER FAMINE IN A

WEST VIRGINIA TOWN.

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., July 2.—This city has a water famine. The pumps at the water station are broken and the reservoirs are empty. Thousands of laborers are idle, as the factories are unable to run. There is great suffering in consequence of the water famine.

PREPARING FOR A GREAT BATTLE.

Strikers Prepare to Give Steel
Kings a Long and Hard
Fight.

Have Been Saving Money Until
Now They Have a Fund
of \$300,000.

PITTSBURGH, July 2.—The second day of the strike of the Sheet Steel and Steel Hoop Workers of the Amalgamated Association opened without interesting or exciting features. As President Shaffer of the Amalgamated Association remarked, the conditions of the present strike were peculiar and no decided results were expected for ten days or two weeks.

Orders of President.

President Shaffer mailed to the Association Lodge today a circular which directs the lodges to lay assessments upon their members to be used for the relief of members of the Association out of work. The money collected will be placed in the general fund of the Association. The Association has for years been creating a strike fund, and it is said now to amount to between \$200,000 and \$300,000.

May Compromise.

"The combine officials do not appear to be worrying over the situation. Some of them intimate that there may be a renewal of negotiations at any time and a settlement effected. In outside circles the belief is growing that the strike will be called off before it gets fairly well under way."

Outside of the combine plants there is little apprehension over the situation. Among the independent companies those who have closed down but who are ready to start up are Zig & Co. Limited, the Pittsburg Forge and Iron Company, A. M. Byers & Co. and Brown & Co.

MEETING OF THE STATE

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., July 2.—The State Board of Education met at the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction this morning with Samuel Black in the chair and Messrs. Van Liew, Burke and Daley present. Dr. Wheeler and F. B. Dressler appeared later.

Superintendent Kirk reported that Dr. E. E. Brown, having been granted leave of absence from the State University for one year, F. B. Dressler had been appointed at the head of the Department of Pedagogy of that institution in the interim, and it was ordered that for one year he take the place on the State Board of Education and upon the Committees of which Dr. Brown had been a member.

TORNADO KNOCKS DOWN

MANY KENTUCKY HOUSES.

MIDDLEBORO, Ky., July 2.—A violent storm, resembling a tornado, wrought havoc across Cumberland Gap, in Powell's Valley. A half dozen small farm houses were demolished, together with a large number of barns. There was some loss of life, but particulars have not yet been obtained. Ferry Smith was killed by lightning. Crops were seriously damaged by the wind in various places.

A. L. JOHNSTON OF SAN

JOSE TAKES HIS LIFE.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 2.—A. L. Johnston, well-known business man, aged 40 years, committed suicide here this morning by shooting. Drink and domestic troubles are assigned as the cause.

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or

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MILLIONS ARE LOST IN A FIRE.

Town of Williams in Arizona Is
Almost Wiped Out by
a Blaze.

All the Stores on the Main Street
Are Recorded as Large
Losers.

WILLIAMS, Arizona, July 2.—Fire started this morning at 2:30 o'clock in Fleming's general merchandise store, completely wiping out the main business portion of the town, two entire blocks and a portion of another. A conservative estimate of the loss is \$1,000,000. The insurance covers only a small portion of the loss.

No loss of life, so far as known. There was virtually no water supply and no fire hose.

The following are the principal losers: T. A. Fleming, \$5,000; Telford Hotel, \$35,000; E. M. Twitty, \$3,000; Geo. U. Young, Williams News office, \$

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EDITORS WHO DO NOT WORK FOR A LIVING.

Things enough happened to take down my self esteem a good many pags, says Jacob A. Ellis in the Outlook. My father had edited our local newspaper, and such little help as I had been to him had given me a taste for the business. Being of that mind, I went to the Courier office one morning and asked for the editor. He was not in. Apparently nobody was. I wandered through room after room, all empty, till at last I came to one in which sat a man with a paste pot and a pair of long shears. This must be the editor. He had the implements of his trade. I told him my errand while he clipped away.

"What is it you want?" he asked, when I had ceased speaking and waited for an answer.

"Work," I said.

"Work?" said he, waving me haughtily away with the shears. "We don't work here. This is a newspaper office."

I went, abashed. I tried the Express next. This time I had the editor pointed out to me. He was in his rooming through the business office. At the door I stopped him and preferred my request. He looked me over, and had fresh from the shipyard, with horny hands and a rough coat, and asked:

"What are you?"

"A carpenter," I said.

"The man turned upon his heel with a loud, rasping laugh, and shut the door in my face. For a moment I stood there stunned. His ascending steps on the stairs brought back my senses. I ran to the door and flung it open. "You laugh?" I shouted, shaking my fist at him, standing half way up the stairs. "You laugh now, but wait—"

"And then I got the grip of my temper and slammed the door in my turn. All the same, in that hour it was settled that I was to be a reporter. I knew it as I went out into the street.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

CRELIN—E. H. Knapp, Boston; Robert J. Gardner, Palace Hotel; Geo. W. Bailey, Haywards.

METROPOLE—J. W. Douglas, Springfield, Mass.; Mr. and Mrs. Hawkins Taylor, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Dr. Nussbaum, city.

TOURANE—Myron T. Holcomb, Mrs. Holcomb, Miss Grace Holcomb, Los Gatos; Ernest H. Holcomb, St. Mathias, San Mateo; H. C. Norris and wife, Los Angeles; Mrs. Mary E. Barnes, San Francisco; Jessie B. Stroud, city; Miss M. Feeney, Miss Mollie E. Feeney, Miss Jennie G. Feeney, San Mateo; M. J. Schmidt, city; E. E. Watson, city; Jno. N. Kirkland, Berkeley; Mrs. Jas. Agler, Miss Maud Agler, city; S. Low, Ross Valley.

ALBANY—Miss Bertha Schladoie, San Antonio, Tex.; S. J. Jeffers, city; Mrs. E. E. Eaton, Boston; Jno. Richard, W. Lodge, Boston; Mrs. W. L. Canavan, Mrs. S. N. Volcott, Sacramento; W. P. Eaton and wife, Robt. Arnold, Stockton.

GALINCO—J. Ralston Dyer, Sacramento; A. Patton, Carlin, Nev.; W. J. O'Brien, Yrebo.

WARNING TO ALL GIRLS WHO FLIRT.

Miss Jessie Allen of Omaha went to a dancing party with R. H. Lester. During the evening she was introduced to Mr. Van Cleave and danced with him several times. While the two young people were sitting in a cozy corner Van Cleave carelessly marked his name on the cuff of the girl's pretty pink shirt waist. The next week all of the girl's laundry came back marked "Van Cleave." She telephoned to the laundryman and urged him to change the mark back to the "J. A. 234," that had always identified her clothes. But the laundryman forgot the order, and a second installment of collars and cuffs took on the name of the rival. It would have been all right if Jessie Allen hadn't gone to a bowling party with her sweetheart Lester. Preparatory to playing, she removed her cuffs and laid them on a chair. Lester saw the name of his rival on the cuffs and the girl went home alone that night. The next day Lester met Van Cleave and badly pommelled him. Both men were arrested and are awaiting an opportunity to explain—Chicago Inter Ocean.

HELD UP BY MASKED ROBBERS IN HIS STORE.

James Cooper, who conducts a grocery and saloon at Thirty-sixth and Perilla street, just outside the city limits, was the victim of a most daring hold-up and robbery, inside of his store about 10 o'clock last night. Cooper's rent, and the grocer went to a Cooper's landlord had called for the safe to bring forth the necessary amount. He left the safe door open, and the landlord had scarcely reached his own home next door, when two masked men entered the grocery and at the point of revolvers forced Cooper to give up the balance of the money in the safe, in all \$186. The robbers then told him to remain at his store for half an hour under penalty of being shot. Cooper reported the matter to the Oakland police, but no clue was obtained.

AUDITOR BREED AGAIN REJECTS WATER BILLS.

City Auditor Breed has again rejected the demands of the Contra Costa Water Company for water furnished the city during ten months and amounting to about \$25,000, and which in accordance with a stipulation that the money from two months' remitted bill go to the High School fund, were ordered by the Board of Public Works, allowed paid.

HAVE BEEN APPOINTED TO APPRAISE AN ESTATE.

Joseph P. Forderer, Ira Sanford and P. W. Greely have been appointed to appraise the estate of Adelaide D. Harding, deceased.

COULD NOT AGREE ON A PRINCIPAL.

Committee Asks for Further Time
to Name M'Chesney's
Successor.

German and French Teachers
Elected for the Ensuing
School Year.

Contrary to expectations, the High School Committee did not report to the Board of Education last evening in regard to a successor to J. B. McChesney as principal of the Oakland High School. Chairman Button of the Committee asked further time to report and his request was granted.

When asked why the committee did not report, Director Button said: "We are not quite ready to report yet. We are still seeking additional light upon the matter. One of the members of the committee, Mr. Isaacs, is absent, and other members of the Board are also absent, so we thought it would be better to have a full board present to act upon the matter. I must admit that there is some friction in the matter among the members of the Board, although the members of the committee have worked together harmoniously. What we want is to have the Board unanimous upon the person to be selected. We will continue our investigations for a week more and by that time we may have some definite result."

GERMAN TEACHER.

The routine business of the Board was light. The only friction was in regard to the appointment of a teacher of German for the High School.

Director Gray placed in nomination for the position Miss Anita G. Hubbard, who had recommendations from President Wheeler of the State University and others. The nomination was seconded by Director Russ.

When the question was put by the chair, Directors Gray, Russ and Wilcox voted for Miss Hubbard's appointment. Directors Knox, Evans, Button, Randolph and Chairman Redington voted in the negative. Directors Cliff, Isaacs and Robertson were absent.

Director Button then reported that the High School Committee would recommend Miss Florence Hanna for the position. The recommendation was adopted unanimously, with the exception of Director Gray, who voted in the negative.

FRENCH AND SPANISH.

P. le Fort, upon recommendation of the High School Committee was appointed to teach French and Spanish. Director Gray voting in the negative. Professor le Fort has been teaching at Stanford University the last year in place of one of the instructors, who was away on leave of absence. He has taught for ten years in various private schools in the State.

An application from the afternoon committee for the Fourth of July celebration for permission to erect a stand on the Eleventh street side of the High School building to be used for literary exercises was granted, the stand to be erected subject to the approval of the Superintendent. An invitation to the members of the Board to occupy seats on the stand was accepted. An invitation from the parade committee to ride in carriages in the parade was also accepted.

CENTRAL SCHOOL GRADUATES. The graduates of the Central High School were granted permission to occupy the Board rooms on the evening of July 11 to organize an alumni association. The application was presented by Frank M. Cattell.

GLEASON'S RESIGNATION.

Professor Ronald P. Gleason tendered his resignation as instructor in manual training in the Central High School. He stated in his resignation that he was going to the Philippines to accept a position in the educational department there. He also expressed regret at having to resign after eleven years' service, and thanked the Board for the many courtesies he had received.

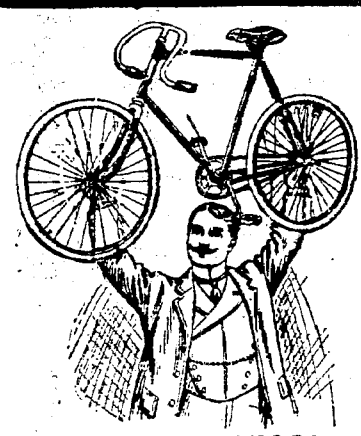
The resignation was accepted and Director Knox was appointed to draw up a formal regret on account of Professor Gleason's leaving the department.

QUESTION OF SALARY.

Director Evans suggested that the salary of the successor of Professor Gleason be fixed the same as those of High School teachers.

There was some question as to the advisability of this action. It was finally decided, upon motion of Director Knox, to abolish the position so that the salary of Professor Gleason's successor might be fixed.

Director Button said that he thought \$1,320 a year and extra pay for overtime would be an adequate salary. Directors Gray and Knox said it



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R. H. ROANE,

Clerk of the Board of School Trustees, Melrose.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Josephine Dunsmuir, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Josephine Dunsmuir, deceased, and for the issuance to Charles H. Lovell of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 15th day of July, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. or said day, at the Court room of Deputies No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated July 1, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.

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Growth of Oakland and Suburbs.

Residents of—	1890	1900
Oakland	43,632	55,560
Alameda	11,165	16,464
Berkeley	5,101	13,214
Fruitvale, etc.	3,108	8,168
Emeryville	228	1,016
	68,284	105,222

Population of Alameda County.
In 1890.....93,864
In 1900.....150,197

AMUSEMENTS.

Dewey—"The Plunger."
Alcazar—"Sapho."
Tivoli—"Pipes in the Wood."
Central—"Davy Crockett."
Orpheum—"Vandeville."
Columbia—"Under Two Flags."
Grand Opera House—"The Only Way."

Picnics at Shell Mound Park.

July 4—Grand celebration and fireworks under the auspices of the San Francisco Scottish Thistle Club.
July 7—Societies of Oakland and San Francisco to 11 p. m.

TUESDAY..... JULY 2, 1901.

VIVISECTION CRANKS.

The perennial agitation against vivisection has begun and, by the headway which the movement has already acquired in the East, it is a foregone conclusion that it will be out here before very long. Students of medicine know that this method of acquiring knowledge has been productive of some of the greatest discoveries of surgery, but that it has been used in college demonstrations unnecessarily will hardly be disputed by those who are familiar with the facts. That an unfortunate brute should be given pain without necessity is greatly to be deplored, but, often, experiments on live dogs or guinea pigs teach us facts that enable surgeons to preserve human life. So it would seem that there ought not to be too general a condemnation of the practice, however severe may be the criticism of isolated instances of its wanton employment.

The important surgical discoveries and many of what are today common inventions for the alleviation of human ills would never have been possible if the ancient laws against dissection had not been evaded, as every reader of history knows; and surgeons and alchemists for ages were outcasts from society, despite the fact that they were undeniably working for the benefit of humanity. The very good people of those days considered it as shocking a thing to cut up a cadaver as their successors in caste consider it today to lay bare the organs of a breathing frog. Yet there can be no doubt that vivisection has advanced the healing art and is adding daily to the cures and preventives of disease, just as dissection in its particular sphere has done.

It seems as if there ought to be no difficulty in arranging a compromise that would be alike satisfactory to reasonable proponents and antagonists of the measures adopted by advanced surgeons. Doctors of medicine are usually broad-minded men and ought not to object to proper restrictions being placed on their methods of imparting instruction. We do not imagine that opposition will come from that quarter, but rather from such one-sided bigots as that Eastern clergyman who is at present declaring in New York that every State in the Union shall pass laws totally preventing all sorts of vivisectional operations.

The outbreak of forest fires in the San Joaquin and at a few points along the coast range revives the seasonal warning to hunters and campers. Stringent laws have been passed against the different forms of carelessness that brings about such conflagrations and the local and State authorities should enforce them to the fullest extent. A few shining examples will be more effective than all the arguments that can be advanced.

THE SEALING QUESTION.

A light sealing catch is reported by the British Columbia schooners that have been cruising off the coast of Japan, but they were bound northward at last accounts and had hopes that the Behring Sea would make up the deficiency. They may find themselves very greatly in error. The fact has been only too well known for several years that the catch of seals was growing less every season. The reason has been plainly shown by such authorities as Professor Jordan, and other especially qualified judges in the employ of the Government, to be the practice of killing the animals in the ocean, while they are on their annual migration through the waters of the Pacific. It is no longer a question but is admitted to be so by everyone who has any acquaintance with the subject—even the men engaged in the business.

All the efforts of this country to prevail on the English government to act with us in putting an end to the indiscriminate slaughter of the seals have heretofore come to nothing, because the representatives of the other nation have refused to take the view of American scientists who have had far better opportunities to study the situation than those which have been afforded by the Canadians to the investigators from across the Atlantic. But our officials and especially our Congressmen would, we believe, in view of the conditions that are known to exist, be warranted in forcing the English to reopen the discussion, or, even more than that, to demand that Canadian sealfishers absolutely be shut out of the business altogether, for it had been demonstrated that they are the principal offenders.

At any rate there is this certainly right ahead—the fur seal will have to be protected, or it will soon be an extinct animal. That this would be a great loss is of course plain, but unless something be done it is the inevitable end.

Government reports show that the war tax stamps on promissory notes amounted to \$4,000,000 during the past fiscal year. As the tax was 2 cents on the \$100 this means that \$200,000,000 was lent out during the twelve months, which again shows what wonderful financial resources we possess. No wonder we rule the world, for money is the controlling power and we have got more of it than any other two nations put together.

Many suicides are resulting from the hot spell in the East. The unfortunate won't better matters that way in view of the Biblical warning as to what becomes of the individual who takes his own life.

A Chilean naval officer has been sent to America to gather information about fish. After he has looked around here for awhile he will realize what small fry there are down that way.

Fishermen have gone on strike along the Columbia River. The net returns of their business will be small for a while.

CHARLES SESSIONS IS GIVEN NEW POSITION.

Charles A. Sessions, who for twenty-two years has been the Oakland agent for the Pacific Coast Company, has sent in his resignation, to W. R. Young, the company's superintendent of coal agencies. The company gave as a reason for making the request for the resignation that the business would no longer warrant paying so large a salary, but Mr. Sessions states that the real reason was that he had become crippled by rheumatism and that they desired a younger man. Ralph Parkinson has been appointed to take his place.

James P. Taylor, agent for the Wellington coal, has made a place for Mr. Sessions as a salesman, and the latter will be found after July 15th at Mr. Taylor's office, 409 Ninth street, where he would like to see all his old friends.

Mr. Sessions is one of the best known coal men in Alameda county and has a host of friends and patrons that he will take with him. He is a very popular business man.

THE ADELINE SANITARY DISTRICT BOARD MEETS.

The Council sitting as a Sanitary Board for Adeline Sanitary District, last night, adopted a resolution to govern the procedure of sale of real estate for unpaid taxes, and the redemption of property sold for such delinquent taxes, in such respects as the general law of the State is departed from.

S. HUFF IS GIVEN SURPRISE.

Friends Gather at the Pioneer Banker's Home and Celebrate His Birthday.

SAN LEANDRO, July 2.—S. Huff, the popular president of the Bank of San Leandro was given a surprise at his home last evening by his friends.

Mr. Huff was 74 years old yesterday and his friends took this occasion to show their confidence in and good feeling towards the pioneer.

While Mr. Huff was visiting a friend's house the conspirators entered his home and took possession. In the party were: Captain Roberts, Grove Roberts, L. C. Morehouse, Mr. Breck, Mr. Hook, Paul Nippert, Harry Meek, Will Meek, Dr. Clark, C. E. Palmer and several others.

When Mr. Huff returned he was greeted in royal style by his old friends. A banquet was served by the Misses Huff and a most pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Huff arrived in Alameda county in 1849 and has lived here ever since. He is one of the most popular pioneers in the county.

CHARLES LOVELL IS REMEMBERED IN MRS. DUNSMUIR'S WILL.

Edna Wallace Hopper is named as the principal beneficiary in the will of her late mother, Mrs. Josephine Dunsmuir. The will has been filed for probate by Charles H. Lovell, who is named executor without bonds.

The estate is valued at upwards of \$350,000, including "Southern Farm," a beautiful country home near San Leandro, valued at over \$250,000.

The will is dated December 10, 1900. All the estate, excepting some special bequests, is left to the daughter, Edna Wallace Hopper. The sum of \$50,000 is left to Charles H. Lovell in trust for a son, William Wallace. Should the latter die before he has reached the age of forty-five years, the trust is to lapse and the principal is to go to whatever children may have been born to him in lawful wedlock. If he leaves no children the money is to revert to Edna Wallace Hopper. In the event of the latter's death before that time the fund is to go to the children of C. H. Lovell.

It is further provided that William Wallace is to receive \$100 a month from the estate. Lovell is referred to in the will as a close friend and his management of the property is praised.

Mr. Lovell is a resident of Oakland and a very popular young man. Wilson & Wilson are attorneys for the estate.

CITY COUNCIL MEETS AS EQUALIZATION BOARD.

The City Council organized as a Board of Equalization last night with Councilman Schaffer as President and the City Clerk as Secretary.

A resolution was adopted establishing the following rules to govern in raising or lowering assessments. Before an assessment on said roll shall be lowered or increased three days' notice must be given to the person addressed or if he does not reside in Oakland but has an agent residing in said city, to such agent, deposited in the post office postage prepaid, that upon a given day said Board will consider the question of increasing or lowering (as the case may be) said assessment, provided that if any person applying for a reduction shall be present and request said Board to consider his application at once or fix a day therefor, no further notice need be given such person.

Secretary Church reported that the assessment roll had not yet been received, and the Board adjourned till Monday night.

The City Council previously adopted a resolution extending the time for the equalization of assessments by the Board of Equalization thirty days.

HUSBAND CONTESTS THE WILL OF HIS WIFE.

Jesse G. Millsaps of Napa, who was disinherited by the will of his late wife, Jane F. Millsaps, has filed a contest in the matter. The estate is valued at about \$5,000. Most of the property was left to a nephew, William J. McKee, who had cared for Mrs. Millsaps prior to her death. Millsaps alleges that his late wife was unduly influenced by her nephew. The contest will come up for a hearing on September 27th.

In her will Mrs. Millsaps declares that she leaves no property to her husband because he does not deserve it.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM THE COURT CALENDARS.

Emma Haarstrich has been granted a decree against J. F. Brodie and others quieting title to property at Clay and Jessie streets.

John W. Bones has been granted a homestead from the estate of his late wife, Anna M. Bones. The homestead is in the Briggs and McGowan Tract. The personal property belonging to the estate of Lyman C. Parke, deceased, has been ordered distributed to the widow, Beatrice Parke.

The estate of Edmund Dole, deceased, has been distributed to the heirs.

PHILIP HELLWIG'S WILL IS ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

PRENTICE GLIDES INTO THE HARBOR.

Steam Schooner Launched This Afternoon at the Shipyards of Boole & Son.

Wharfinger Le Ballister Says Business Was Dull During Last Month.

The steam schooner Prentice, which has been building at the ship yards of W. A. Boole & Son at the foot of Adeline street for the last two months, was launched at 1 o'clock this afternoon after having been christened by Miss Holt, daughter of one of the members of the firm of George D. Gray & Co. The ceremonies were very simple, consisting merely in breaking a bottle of sparkling California wine over her bow by Miss Holt, who christened the new schooner "Prentice."

About 500 invitations had been issued for the launching and christening, and about twice that number of people witnessed the vessel glide gracefully into the water from the ways.

The Prentice is essentially an Oakland vessel, having been built by an Oakland firm for an Oakland owner. She was built for George D. Gray & Co., the lumber merchants, and she is intended for the coast lumber trade. She is a steam schooner, 110 feet long, with a 31-foot beam and an 11 foot depth of hold. She was built for speed as well as for comfort, and her graceful model indicates that she will give a good account of herself when her speed is tested.

There has been considerable delay in launching the Prentice, owing to the strike of the iron workers. It was finally decided, however, to launch her, and she will now be towed over to San Francisco by Messrs. Boole & Son, the wharfingers, when her machinery will be put in.

The vessel was first named the Wagona, but it was found that another vessel had that name and the owners were compelled to search for another name with which to christen her. She is the second vessel launched within a month by Messrs. Boole & Son, the first one having been the four-masted barkentine Lahaina.

Business Dull.

The month of June was one of the duller shipping months of the present year, only thirty ships having docked at the city wharf. That, however, one vessel only, whereas during previous months it was usual for two and three vessels a day to discharge cargoes there. This is due to a great extent to the lack of dredging of the city slips, it being no unusual thing for vessels to get stuck in the mud at low tide. It has been generally dull, however, in shipping circles, even such vessels as can dock at the city wharf failing to put in an appearance.

"It has been unusually dull," said City Wharfinger Leballister yesterday, "all along the water front, there being little shipping of any kind. It is only once at the city wharf that there is little business but there seems to be comparatively no coal nor lumber coming in."

Shipping Notes.

The steamer Arcata has finished discharging a cargo of 300 tons of coal at the city wharf for the Oregon Coal and Navigation Company.

The steamer South Coast has discharged at the city wharf a cargo of lumber for the Pacific Coast Lumber and Milling Company.

The schooner Frances E. M. Bernard has discharged a cargo of thirty tons of hay for Sagheim & Co.

BIRTHS REPORTED AT THE HEALTH OFFICE.

The following births have been reported to the Health Office:

To Martin L. and May Carter, 1161 Market street, June 27th, a son; Dr. M. W. Knox.

To A. H. and Caroline Breed, 2011 Webster street, June 21, a daughter; Dr. W. F. Wakefield.

To Charles and May Bolin, 965 Fourteenth street, June 6th, a daughter; Dr. A. H. Pratt.

To C. A. and Lillian Ballantyne, 277 Eighth street, June 14th, a son; Dr. W. F. Wakefield.

To M. F. and Marguerite Davis, 817 Oak street, June 16th, a son; Dr. A. L. Cunningham.

To F. C. and Grace Forbes, 562 Eighth street, a son; same physician.

To L. H. and Eleanor Jones, 274 East Tenth street, June 5th, a daughter; same physician.

To James and Ida Reed, 1659 Twenty-third avenue, June 15th, a son; same physician.

To Harry and Sarah Smith, 1057 Twenty-eighth street, a son; same physician.

To Patrick and Lillian Taylor, 721 Fifth street, June 9th, a son; same physician.

To David and Alice Vaughn, 644 Twenty-fifth street, a son; same physician.

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of full weight when you buy your coal of me. Many dealers sell 1700 pounds coal for a ton. Perhaps you are buying from one of these short-weight dealers. Take no chances with your next order, send it to me:

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Owing to the Butcher's Strike GARNER & McDONALD have closed their 9th and Webster Street Market, but are prepared to fill all orders at their market.

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Kahn's—the always busy corner.

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Lots of things needed—

Shirt Waists Linen Skirts
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MEN'S OUTING SHIRTS
SUMMER UNDERWEAR
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Anything and everything you need.

A NEW SHOE

Have you seen them? Ladies, Misses and Children's

Rubber Spring Heel Shoes

Physicians recommend them—Mothers enjoy them, just the thing for camping and tramping—made of the best selected stock—Sizes 8 to 11—\$1.75, 1 1/2 to 2—\$2.25, 2 1/2 to 6—\$2.75.

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Headache, resulting from causes peculiar to women. 25c

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The places, the rates for the round trip and the dates of sale are below. The other details can be had of the Santa Fe Agents.

BUFFALO, \$87.00.
July 3, 4; Aug. 22, 23; Sept. 5, 6.
CHICAGO, \$72.50.
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Authorized capital paid up.....\$1,000,000
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RAILROADS.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Trains are Due to Arrive and Leave

—at—

OAKLAND

SIXTEENTH STREET STATION.

Leave. From June 9, 1901. Arrive.

7:34 a Benicia, Suisun, Elmer, 5:35 p

8:04 a Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, 5:45 p

8:37 a Davis, Woodland, Knights 5:55 p

8:57 a Atlantic Express, Ogden and 6:15 p

9:3 a Shasta Express, Davis, Wil- 6:35 p

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10:04 a The Overland Limited, Oa- 7:35 p

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LEGAL

TRUSTEES' SALE.

In accordance with the terms and under

the authority of a certain deed of trust

only made and executed by Joachim

Henry Schmidt and Minna Schmidt, his

wife, parties of the first part, to Charles

Hatch and Donald Macnicol, as trust-

tees, parties of the second part, dated

December 18th, 1899, and recorded in

the Office of the County Recorder of

Alameda, State of California, in Liber

of Deeds, at page 420 and following, and

in pursuance of a notice and demand

made and served upon said trustees by

Louis B. Smith, holder of the note, to

secure payment of which the afore-

said deed of trust was executed, declar-

ing that default had been made in the

payment of the principal sum and inter-

est and other sums due on the said note

and deed of trust, and requesting the

trustees to satisfy the indebtedness, to

We, Charles E. Hatch and Donald Mac-

nicol, trustees, do hereby give notice

that on Wednesday, the 5th day of June,

A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day,

at the auction sales room of William J.

Dingee, at number 903 Broadway street, in

the City of Oakland, county of Alameda,

State of California, we will sell at public

auction, the highest bidder for cash, in

gold coin of the United States, that

certain piece or parcel of land mentioned

and described in said deed of trust, sit-

uated in the City of Oakland, county

of Alameda, State of California, and

bounded and described as follows, to-

wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern

line of Railroad avenue, or Seventh

street, distant therefrom one hundred and

forty-nine (149) feet and two (2) inches

westerly from the western line of Camp-

bell street, and extending westerly

along said line of Seventh street thirty-

seven (37) feet and six (6) inches; thence

at a right angle southerly one hundred

and fifty-six (156) feet; thence at a right

angle easterly thirty-seven (37) feet and

six (6) inches; thence at a right angle

southerly one hundred and fifty-six (156)

feet to the point of commencement.

Being lot number thirty-four (34) and

the western twelve and one-half (12 1/2)

feet of lot number thirty-three (33) in

block number five hundred and twenty-

five (525), as said lots and block are laid

down, delineated and so designated upon

the map entitled "Map of the Gibbons

Tract, Oakland, Cal., recorded in Liber

No. 1 of Maps, at page 51, in the

Office of the County Recorder of said

Alameda county.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of

the United States; ten per cent payable

special sale neckwear

IT BEGINS WEDNESDAY

50c, 75c Regular Values
1.00 and 1.50 Reduced to

25c

There is good reason for this—we are planning for Fall business and shelves must be cleared. See the great display in our windows and not another word will be necessary.

Ladies' Stock and Tie

In one. Made of excellent quality Madras and Cheviots in handsome patterns; stocks white, ties and collar lapp colored, 50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50 qualities. Now 25c

Butterfly Wash Ties

In latest handsome designs, worn by men and women, 25c quality, now 12c

Ladies' Wash Madras Ties

—the kind that is worn today with the white high-band turn-down collar, special 2 for 25c

Men's Neckwear

Four-in-hands, Tecks, Puffs, Impatials, Band Bows, Batwing and Butterfly Ties; all new and among them some of the latest arrivals; not one has ever sold for less than 50c, many for more; all to go at special price of 25c

Ladies' Silk Ties

That go twice around the neck; stock of corded silk, very full ends; cardinal, pink, light blue and heliotrope; all 50c values; special 25c

a suit offer that is rare

—an offering of a \$30 suit for \$15. We have from 14 to 20 men on the road. They send orders for hundreds of suits each year. Occasionally one is not taken from the express office, even though deposit be made on it and it is returned to us. For the past year, or more these have accumulated till there are now about fifty of them—each a thoroughly tailored, up-to-date suit. We don't want them—you do, if your size be among them. Some samples:

Size 40 (chest) Sack Suit, imported English worsted, light stripes; regular \$10.00

Size 38; imported Serge Suit; dark blue, \$20.00

Size 38; Sack Suit; imported English check, regular \$27.50

Size 37; light-striped Worstedsack suit; \$27.50

Size 36; Black Undress -Worsted, cutaway suit; made for \$25.00

Size 37½; double-breasted Frocksuit; finest imported black beaver; made for \$35.00

THIS WEEK \$20.00

THIS WEEK \$15.00

THIS WEEK \$20.00

NOW \$15.00

NOW \$17.50

NOW \$25.00

And about 45 other similar bargains. Each of the above suits bears the label of "M. J. Keller Co." which is a guarantee that it is just what we say it is.

M. J. KELLER CO.
1157-1159 Washington Street, Oakland

SURE THING MEN ARE SHUT OUT.

Livermore Trustees Will Not Permit Any Gambling on the Fourth of July.

LIVERMORE, July 2.—The Town Trustees will allow no games of chance to be run on the Fourth of July and will appoint extra police to assist the Town Marshal in preventing all gambling or sure thing robbing games on the streets.

NOTES AND PERSONALS FROM TOWN OF LIVERMORE.

LIVERMORE, July 2.—James Conannon and family have taken their departure for Capitola for a summer outing.

Dr. F. C. Rabe of Oakland has returned home after a week's visit in the hills.

Mr. J. R. Taylor of Oakland is visiting Livermore friends.

Mrs. J. R. Coryell and daughter, Miss Eva, of San Francisco, are visiting Mrs. J. L. Mitchell.

Mrs. W. P. Moffett of Daguerre is spending a few days in Livermore.

A great many strangers are in town for the Fourth of July celebration and more are coming on every train.

FRUITVALE SCHOOL IS NOW BEING CONSTRUCTED.

FRUITVALE, July 2.—The following is a list of additions for last week: Miss L. W. Blaw, Bernhard Engel, J. Irwin, Adrian Stripling, Edwin Wood, E. Burnstein of San Francisco was visiting in this place on Sunday.

The new school building is now well under way, the foundation being completed and the frame of the building will soon be up. The new school when completed will be a very handsome building and a fine addition to the neighborhood.

HAYWARDS WOMAN HAS PASSED AWAY.

HAYWARDS, July 2.—Mrs. P. F. Long, one of the best known women of this place, died yesterday after an illness extending over a month's time.

Mrs. Long was the daughter of Crayton Winton, a well-known orchardist, whose home is near here. Besides a husband, who is the son of former United States Marshal William G. Long, she leaves four children.

"PLUNGER" SCORES A HIT AT THE DEWEY THEATER.

"The Plunger" drew a crowded house at the Dewey Theatre last evening. The performance was up to the standard and was enjoyed by all. The cast is as follows:

Risque Lincoln, the cashier, Mr. De Witt Clinton; Lionel Rexford, the broker, Joseph Damery; Gentleman Jim, the gambler, E. J. Holden; Billy Spike, the tramp, Maurice Stewart; Walter Glyndon, the winged, Ervin Blunkall; Simeon, the bodyguard, Frank Bouterous; Dick Haddock, the detective, C. Dimmick; Maguire, the officer, O. W. Howe; Auguste, the waiter, Russell Reed; Pump, the guard, Cash Tourtellotte; Engineer of the L road, George Miller; Mrs. Nora Clover, the widow, Miss Fanny Gillette; Mattie Gray, the typewriter, Miss Paulina Maitland; Ethel Rexford, the orphan, Miss Edna Ellmers; and Dexter Dight, the plunger, Landers Stevens.

Next week the comedy drama, "The Pay Train," with its wonderful incline wreck scene, starting boiler explosion, marvelous railroad scene and picturesque coal mine scene, will be the attraction.

MAY CHARGE REV. ADAMS WITH CRIME OF MURDER.

It is probable that District Attorney Allen will file an information for murder against Charles G. Adams, the unfrocked minister, who shot and killed his friend, Dr. J. G. Jessup at Berkeley.

Last Saturday Justice of the Peace Edgar held Adams to answer to a charge of manslaughter, fixing bail at \$4,000, but that does not prevent the District Attorney from charging the defendant with the graver crime.

"I have not yet decided what to do in the premises," said Judge Allen today, "but I may file an information charging Adams with murder. Under the law I have that right if I deem fit to exercise it. I shall go over the deposition and I shall be guided by my opinion as to the chances for conviction."

MAJOR M'BRIDE TO SPEAK THIS EVENING.

The reception given to Major McBride this evening in Hamilton Hall by the Father Yorks Gaelic League and the different Irish societies of this city bids fair in point of enthusiasm to excel the most sanguinary hopes of those in charge of the affair.

Major McBride is not only a brave soldier. He is also an eloquent speaker and his experience in the Boer war with the Irish Brigade will be detailed in an eloquent manner. Father Yorks will deliver the opening address. There will also be a short musical program in the English and Gaelic languages.

MOROSCO SELLS GRAND OPERA HOUSE LEASE.

Walter Morosco has sold his interest in the Grand Opera House of San Francisco to a syndicate represented by C. L. Ackermann and Morris Meyerfeld, Jr. It is stated that the purchase price was in the neighborhood of \$50,000. Harry Morosco will continue for the present as manager of the house.

QUIET WEDDING AT SAN LEANDRO.

Louis Martin and Josephine Marshall Are Married in San Leandro Church.

SAN LEANDRO, July 2.—Yesterday morning at St. Leander's Church Louis Martin and Josephine Marshall were united in marriage by the Rev. Father Montaner. Marie Marshall, a sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid while Fred Martin, who is a brother of the groom was best man.

The wedding was a very quiet affair, only the relatives and most intimate friends of the young couple being present. The couple are very young the bride being 17 years of age while the groom is but 18. The groom is employed at the Union Iron Works. The bride is the daughter of a wealthy land owner of this place.

After the ceremony the youthful couple started on a short honeymoon trip after which they will reside in San Francisco.

THRASHING OUTFITS AT WORK IN THE COUNTRY.

DECOTO, July 2.—Eleven thrashing crews started out from this end of the township Monday morning and are scattered from San Leandro to Livermore and San Jose. Hay baling outfits have been out for two weeks past. New hay is already coming into the warehouses and some is being loaded on the cars for shipment. Apricots will be ripe in the next two weeks. The crop will be heavy. Early peaches are ripening.

DEMANDS OF RETIRED OFFICERS ARE APPROVED.

The Police Pension Fund Commissioners met yesterday afternoon and approved demands of retired officers as follows:

C. H. Cole, \$150; John Barnett, \$150; E. J. Chase, \$150; Henry McCloy, \$150; Ex-Chief W. F. Fletcher, \$225. The name of Hall B. Rand was placed on the retired list.

LADIES! LADIES! When you require the services of a first-class ladies' hair dresser see Mrs. Virginia Diehl at her parlors, 528 Fourteenth street. She also does manicuring and sells hair goods, cosmetics and perfumes. Phone 276 Pine.

Cobblestick Bros., the popular fresco painters, have joined forces with their brother, and may now be found at L. N. Cobblestick & Bros., Inc., 401 Twelfth St., opposite Wells Fargo.

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TROUBLE HUNTERS IN BATTLE.

Fierce and Bloody Contest Is Waged on the Streets of Haywards.

HAYWARDS, July 2.—A visit was made to this place Sunday evening by the notorious "Trouble Hunters" from San Lorenzo. The gang found all they wanted this last trip and possibly a little more than they were looking for. They landed here late in the afternoon and proceeded to make the rounds, which would be as usual with a fight among themselves. They made so much noise that the night watchman, Frank Piemetel, came dashing up and attempted to quiet them. One of the fellows hit the watchman, after which the gang of four started in to thrash him. The watchman cried for help. Several young men responded, and a fierce contest ensued. For a while the battle waged, blood being sent freely along the way. One old man, John Rodgers, who attempted to help the watchman before the boys arrived, was struck on the head and the blow knocked the old man down. He fell on the sidewalk, cutting his head. When Marshall Ramage arrived on the scene of battle, two of the visitors were found lying on the sidewalk unable to get away, having been so severely thrashed. The other two managed to make good their escape before that official arrived.

The two captured toughs were Tom Laven and Bill Goforth. The two who made away are Jack Ross and George Schaefer. Laven and Goforth were released on putting up \$50 bail each.

LIVERMORE TO HAVE THREE THOUSAND LIGHTS.

LIVERMORE, July 2.—Three thousand electric lights, colored red, white and blue, are now being placed on First street for the illumination on Fourth of July night.

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THE COW KICKED AT THE WRONG TIME.

ELMHURST, July 2.—Yesterday Mrs. L. M. Smith, who resides on Jones avenue met with a very serious accident. It seems that Mrs. Smith is the owner of a very fine cow. Yesterday the animal stepped into a can and was unable to step out. The can stuck to the cow's foot and threatened to cripple the animal. Mrs. Smith came to the rescue and while trying to remove the can, the cow kicked, violently jerking the can through the woman's hand, and tearing a great gash from the thumb back towards the wrist. The woman went at once to Dr. Lynch who dressed the wound, and although very painful it is not thought that anything serious may result from the accident.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM THE TOWN OF DECOTO.

DECOTO, July 2.—Dr. Jarvis of Oakland spent Sunday as the guest of Ezra Decoto Jr.

A. T. Crane, father of C. C. Crane, is very ill. The services of a trained nurse has been secured to wait on the old gentleman.

Geo. Small is hauling moulding sand to the Newark stone foundry.

Ed Salz and family are camping in the Santa Cruz mountains.

The boys' band is making progress at the Masonic Home.

August Ray will soon leave for Humboldt county, where he has accepted a position in a lumber camp.

ELMHURST YOUNG PEOPLE ARRANGE FOR A PICNIC.

ELMHURST, July 1.—Several young people from this place are arranging for a picnic party to take place in a few days. They will go to Redwood Canyon in a large lumber wagon, where a big dinner and a general good time will take place. Miss Ella Williamson, Susie Clark, Anna Clark, Gabriella and Lee Myers are among the crowd.

Yesterday the Williamson boys opened their new vine on Orchard avenue. Both the boys are well known in this place.

Miss Irene Rice of San Francisco has been visiting Mrs. Martin of this place. She has returned to her home.

LIVERMORE BOYS LOST THE BASEBALL GAME.

LIVERMORE, July 2.—The Livermore baseball team had their first outing Sunday, having gone over to Tracy and suffered defeat by a score of 15 to 0. The Tracy boys played a good game, but the Livermoreans will get them again in the near future.

NOTES AND PERSONALS FROM SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, July 2.—Joseph and William August left yesterday with their three-cut and twenty-four men for Warm Springs.

Miss Burdette is visiting friends in San Francisco for a few days.

Mrs. Mox is quite ill at her home on Hepburn street.

C. Fardner and E. Prouse are visiting friends in Alameda for several days.

Julia Winn of Oakland spent Sunday visiting Mrs. T. Morgan of this place.

William August is the proud father of a baby girl.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Clark and son left for their home in San Francisco after spending several months in this place.

S. H. E. Hawes and Miss Ruelle have moved to San Francisco, where they will make their home for some time.

Chester S. Floyd of San Francisco has been visiting friends in this place.

G. W. WARREN PUTS OUT A FIRE AT FRUITVALE.

FRUITVALE, July 2.—Yesterday the quick work of G. W. Warren, the druggist, prevented what might have been a very serious fire. Mr. Warren noticed smoke coming from the yard of C. A. Gibson's home on Fruitvale avenue, and at once informed a number of the firemen who happened to be near, then jumping on his wheel Mr. Warren made a flying trip to the scene of the fire. With the aid of a garden hose he soon had the conflagration under control.

The work was done in such order that by the time the Fire Department arrived the blaze was nearly out. The fire started from a barrel of hot ashes emptied near a summer kitchen. The damage amounted to about \$30.

DRYING FRUIT IN HAYWARDS DISTRICT.

HAYWARDS, July 2.—T. B. Russell and Howard Kimball, two well known orchardists, who during the past few seasons have engaged extensively in the drying of fruits, have closed several large contracts for this year, and their output will be even larger than last year.

They have commenced work on apricots, some three loads having arrived, and fully 150 people are now at work.

There will be extensive drying of apricots this year. Among the principal dryers are Meek Bros., I. B. Parsons, Van Houser Bros., Smith & Pumphrey of San Lorenzo and others.

VACATIONS OF THE FOUR SUPERIOR JUDGES.

Judge Hall took charge of the business of the Superior Court this morning and Judge Ellsworth left for his vacation. Judge Ogden will take his vacation now since the Brandes trial has been concluded. Judge Melvin has been unable to leave on his vacation on account of his wife having sprained her ankle recently. Judge Greene is away on his vacation.